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RESOLUTION NO. A-_____

WHEREAS, the City Council on September 26, 2005 adopted Resolution No. A-83550, adopting the West O Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Urban Development has filed with the City Clerk an amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan to add nine separate projects for potential redevelopment in support of commercial/industrial redevelopment efforts; said plan amendments are attached hereto, marked as Attachment "A", and made a part hereof by reference. The Director of Urban Development has reviewed said plan amendments and has found that they meet the conditions set forth in Neb. Rev. Stat. § 18-2113 (Reissue 1997); and

WHEREAS, on March 3, 2006 notice of public hearing was mailed, postage prepaid, to the president or chairperson of the governing body of each county, school district, community college, educational service unit, and natural resource district in which the real property subject to such plan is located and whose property tax receipts would be directly affected and to all registered neighborhood associations located in whole or in part within one mile radius of the area to be redeveloped setting forth the time, date, place, and purpose, of the public hearing to be held on March 15, 2006 before the Lincoln City - Lancaster County Planning Commission regarding the amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan, a copy of said notice and list of said registered neighborhood associations having been attached hereto as Attachment "B" and "C" respectively; and

WHEREAS, said proposed amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan have been submitted to the Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Commission for review and recommendation, and said Planning Commission on March 15, 2006 found said request to be in conformance with the Comprehensive Plan and recommended approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, on March 30, 2006 a notice of public hearing was mailed, postage prepaid, to the foregoing governing bodies and registered neighborhood associations setting forth the time, date, place, and purpose of the public hearing before the City Council to be held on April 10, 2006 regarding the proposed amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan, a copy of said notice having been attached hereto as Attachment "D"; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2006 and March 31, 2006 a notice of public hearing was published in the Lincoln Journal Star newspaper, setting forth the time, date, place, and purpose of the public hearing to be held on April 10, 2006 regarding the proposed amendments to the West O Redevelopment Plan, a copy of such notice having been attached hereto and marked as Attachment "E"; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2006 in the City Council Chambers of the County City Building, 555 South 10th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska, the City Council held a public hearing relating to the proposed amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan and all interested parties were afforded at such public hearing a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting said proposed plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered all statements made and materials submitted relating to said proposed amendment.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS FOUND AND DETERMINED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska as follows:

- 1. That the West O Redevelopment Plan as modified by the proposed amendment is described in sufficient detail and is designed with the general purpose of accomplishing a coordinated, adjusted, and harmonious development of the City which will promote general health, safety, and welfare, sound design and arrangement, the wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the prevention of the reoccurrence of unsanitary or unsafe dwelling accommodations or conditions of blight.
- 2. That the West O Redevelopment Plan as modified by the proposed amendment is feasible and in conformity with the general plan for the development of the City of Lincoln as a whole and said plan as modified by the proposed amendment is in conformity with the legislative declarations, and the determinations set forth in the Community Development Law.
- 3. That, for purposes of commencing redevelopment and determination of the property included in and subject to the provision providing for an increment as directed under the Community Development Law, the project areas corresponding to each project within the plan as amended shall consist of the property described separately for each as identified and described in paragraphs 5 13, including the abutting streets and alleys.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska:

That pursuant to the provisions of the Nebraska Community Development Law and in light of the foregoing findings and determinations, the amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan attached hereto as Attachment "A" is hereby accepted and approved by the City Council as the governing body for the City of Lincoln.

1	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Urban Development Director or his
2	authorized representative is hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary
3	to implement the provisions of said amendment to the West O Redevelopment Plan,
4	and the Finance Director is likewise authorized to expend funds to implement the
5	provisions of the West O Redevelopment Plan, as amended.
6	BE IT STILL FURTHER RESOLVED that it is intended that this resolution and
7	the modifications adopted herein are supplemental hereto to the findings, approvals,
8	and authorizations set forth in Resolution No. A-83550.
	Introduced by:
	Approved as to Form and Legality:
	City Attorney
	Approved this day of, 2006:
	Mayor